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That Eric Newberg has some connections!! We are so fortunate to have his help.

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Donald,

I spoke with Lucas Rivera and he said that he couldn't share the actual budget for the Grand Park art work but that he was going to forward my info to the fabricators and I could speak directly with them. I have not heard back from them yet but will contact Lucas if I don't hear from them in a week or so. I asked Lucas about the costs and he said that they really wanted to make the art as was presented to them but to do it properly it would have cost at least \$500,000 and possibly as much as one million. He estimated that the costs for a permanent structure would be greater than \$100,000 but wasn't comfortable offering an estimate. I hope to get additional insight after speaking with the fabricator.

Regarding potential tech company contributions for the possible art project, Apple and Facebook don't contribute to these types of projects. However, there is a very slight possibility that we might get some consideration from Google. See the email below.

Best,

Eric

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**Subject:** Re: Google Community Outreach Enquiry - Playa Vista/Westchester, CA

Hi Payton and Eric!

Eric, we generally don't support initiatives like this one but I'm happy to take a look and see if there is an exception.

Please forward the information when you have a moment.

Thanks!

Rebecca

On Mon, Jan 30, 2017 at 8:16 PM, Payton Dobbs <[payton@google.com](mailto:payton@google.com)> wrote:

Eric,

I would like to introduce you to Rebecca Prozan (CC'd) who will be able to help with your enquiry. She is our Chief of Public Policy and Government Affairs and runs local government and community relations for the state of California.

Rebecca,

Many thanks for your engagement, Eric is a close friend that is supporting a local initiative in the Playa Vista/Westchester area near our LA office to finance a public piece of art. He will be able to provide more info.

Much appreciated,

Payton

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